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TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJECT: DAILY MAIL SUMMARY - TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1976

A. LETTERS:

1. YOU HAVE RECEIVED A PERSONAL LETTER FROM AMBASSADOR ANNE ARMSTRONG.

2. MR. C. C. GARVIN, JR., CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF THE EXXON CORPORATION, WRITES THANKING THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOR ITS CONTRIBUTION TO THE DECLARATION ON INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT AND MULTINATIONAL ENTERPRISES. HE STATES: "THROUGH OUR INVOLVEMENT WITH THE USA-BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO THE OECD AND OTHER BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS WE HAVE ALREADY SUPPORTED THE OVERALL DECLARATION. WE SHARE YOUR BELIEF THAT THE DECLARATION WILL CONTRIBUTE SIGNIFICANTLY TO AN IMPROVED ENVIRONMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT."

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3. MR. GILBERT KAPLAN WRITES "THANKS FOR YOUR FLATTERING COMMENTS CONVEYED TO ME THROUGH MR. BEYER ABOUT THE SADAT INTERVIEW. IT HAS RECEIVED MORE ATTENTION THAN I THOUGHT IT WOULD AND HAS BEEN REPRINTED IN MANY NEWSPAPERS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD."

4. SENATOR HUMPHREY WRITES REQUESTING THAT YOU PROVIDE THE SUBCOMMITTEE ON FOREIGN ASSISTANCE WITH A REPORT ON THE STATUS OF NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PHILIPPINES ON THE FUTURE OF US BASES. HE WOULD ALSO LIKE TO HAVE A REASONABLY DETAILED CHRONOLOGY OF ALL PREVIOUS NEGOTIATIONS AND AGREEMENTS WITH THE PHILIPPINES ON THE SUBJECT OF BASES.

5. IN ANOTHER LETTER TO YOU, SENATOR HUMPHREY SAYS IT HAS BEEN SOME TIME SINCE THE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS HAS RECEIVED A REPORT ON THE CURRENT SITUATION IN TIMOR. HE WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING THE DETAILS ON US MILITARY EQUIPMENT IN THE AREA FORMERLY KNOWN AS EAST TIMOR AND YOUR ANALYSIS OF REPORTED CONTINUING FIGHTING IN THE AREA.

6. IN A JOINT LETTER TO YOU, SECRETARY SIMON AND SECRETARY RICHARDSON, MR. Z. MERSZEI, PRESIDENT OF THE DOW CHEMICAL COMPANY, THANKS YOU FOR YOUR LETTER OF AUGUST 19 CONCERNING THE OECD. THE COMPANY HAS FOLLOWED CLOSELY AND WITH INTEREST THE EVOLUTION AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE GUIDELINES AND THEY ARE FIRMLY IN SUPPORT OF THE OECD GUIDELINES AND COMMEND YOU AND YOUR STAFFS FOR A JOB WELL DONE.

7. CONGRESSMAN ZABLOCKI WRITES STATING THAT LAST YEAR THE CONGRESS AMENDED PUBLIC LAW 480 TO REQUIRE THAT A MINIMUM OF 1.3 MILLION TONS OF FOOD BE DISTRIBUTED UNDER TITLE II OF THAT PROGRAM. HOWEVER, IT IS HIS UNDERSTANDING THAT THE VOLUME OF COMMODITIES ACTUALLY SHIPPED UNDER TITLE II FOR FISCAL YEAR WAS SUBSTANTIALLY LESS THAN 1.3 MILLION TONS. HE THEREFORE REQUESTS A PROMPT REPORT ON THE STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TITLE II MINIMUM DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENT.

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8. CONGRESSMAN DU PONT WRITES ON BEHALF OF THE EMPLOYEES OF THE AMOCO POLYMER PLANT IN NEW CASTLE, DELAWARE, WHO ARE DISTRESSED BY THE PRESENCE IN THEIR PLANT OF TECHNICIANS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA. THESE TECHNICIANS ARE VISITING THE PLANT TO LEARN A POLYPROPYLENE PLASTIC PROCESS. AMONG OTHER THINGS, HE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW IF THE STATE DEPARTMENT APPROVED THIS TECHNOLOGY

TRANSFER AND WHAT USE THE CHINESE INTEND FOR THIS  
TECHNOLOGY.

SOCIAL INVITATIONS:

1. WE HAVE REGRETTED AN INVITATION FOR FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8  
FROM THE AMBASSADOR OF SWAZILAND FOR A RECEPTION IN HONOR  
OF THE PRIME MINISTER BECAUSE OF OTHER COMMITMENTS.

2. THE LORDS HAVE POSTPONED THEIR EVENING OF DINNER AND  
CARDS WITH THE BRINKLEYS AND SIMONS UNTIL SATURDAY,  
OCTOBER 9 AT 8:00 PM. IT IS SUSAN BRINKLEY'S BIRTHDAY.  
(YOU PREVIOUSLY ACCEPTED FOR OCTOBER 2ND, BUT HAD TO  
CANCEL BECAUSE OF YOUR HILTON HEAD TRIP.)

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C. TYLER IS DOING FINE.

D. TELEPHONE CALLS: NO CALLS RECEIVED TODAY.

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